



HILLGROVE NAVY JROTC



WELCOME TO ONE OF THE FINEST NAVY JROTC PROGRAMS IN THE NATION!

We are so excited to welcome cadets and parents to Hillgrove's Navy Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps (NJROTC) program for the 2019/2020 school year. You are joining a nationally recognized NJROTC program; "Distinguished Unit" five years in a row as one of the top programs in the nation. We look forward to you helping us build upon our units many successes this school year.

Our program provides cadets the opportunity to grow and develop as students and leaders. Our efforts are focused on cadet academic success, leadership development, teamwork, and school/community service. This is accomplished, in part, through academics, military drill, and physical training. There will be numerous opportunities to participate competitively against other NJROTC units across the state of GA and the nation, in military drill, academics, rifle, athletics, and orienteering. We also participate in numerous community service events, local area parades, and perform color guard detail for local school, government, and civic organizations.

In order to reinforce the academic portion of the NJROTC program, Cadets will also have the opportunity to participate in orientation trips to military bases and other historical/educational venues. In recent years, we have visited Los Angeles, CA, Washington D.C., Seattle, WA, Jacksonville, FL, Charleston, SC, Orlando, FL, Phoenix, AZ, Dobbins Air Base in Marietta, the National Infantry Museum, and others. Potential trips this year include, Washington D.C./Quantico, VA, Pensacola, FL, Jacksonville, FL, and more. There are also opportunities to attend various summer leadership trainings and camps. Finally, cadets will plan and participate in an Annual Military Inspection and Pass-in-Review Ceremony, as well as their own Military Ball and End-of-Year Awards Banquet.

With all the NJROTC program offers, we cannot do it alone. First, we ask that each parent become an active participant in our unit's Cadet Parent Organization (CPO) Booster Club. Second, the cost for being in the Navy JROTC program is minimal compared to the valuable experience these cadets receive; which includes the cost of athletic gear for new cadets, and an additional activity fee to be paid by all cadets to the Hillgrove NJROTC program to assist in making all the activities described above possible. We will conduct other fundraising events throughout the year, but activity fees will account for a significant portion of the funds needed for our program. Your involvement and contribution will help us to provide the best possible experience for our cadets.

Thank you for your support and welcome aboard!

Senior Naval Science Instructor: LCDR Ron Hojnowski, USN (Ret)
Naval Science Instructor: ETC(SS) Allen Harris, USN Ret)

Hillgrove Navy JROTC CPO: President – Mrs. Julie Harnage
Vice President – Mr. Robert Light
Secretary – Mrs. Jennifer Smith
Treasurer – Mrs. Michele Valencia



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2019/2020 HILLGROVE NJROTC ACTIVITY FEE FORM – NEW CADET

Cadets Name: _____ Phone (home): _____

Address: _____ City: _____ St: _____ Zip Code: _____

Parent(s) Name: _____ Parent Phone (cell): _____

Parent Email Address: _____

Athletic Gear Fee: \$25.00 – Cadets provided NJROTC t-shirt/shorts required for physical training and other events.

Activity Fee Contribution*: \$225.00 – This allows the cadet to participate in all unit activities, events, teams, and local field trips. In addition, each cadet will receive a 2nd unit t-shirt, hoodie, sweat pants, unit polo, and ball cap. These items will be our “required” spirit wear when taking trips or competing in NJROTC competitions. Families with multiple cadets in the program are eligible for a \$50 discount on each additional cadet’s activity fee.

** Overnight trips and special events, such as the military ball, will require an additional fee to help cover the cost of transportation, meals, and lodging.*

If you are unable to make payment in full initially, we encourage you to make installment payments. An initial deposit of \$50 is required, along with a minimum payment of \$50 per month. All fees must be paid in full prior to the end of the first semester. Cadets who have not paid their activity fees in full, will be asked to pay a fee to participate in optional unit activities such as field trips or unit competitions to cover associated costs.

Please make Activity Gear Fee and Activity Fee Contributions by cash, money order, check**, or by credit card. For all questions concerning the activity fee, including the possibility of scholarships, please contact our CPO President, Mrs. Julie Harnage at j.harnage@comcast.net.

Payment in full or a payment plan is requested by August 29th.

**** A \$30.00 RETURNED CHECK FEE WILL BE ADDED TO EACH CADETS ACCOUNT FOR CHECKS RETURNED DUE TO NSF. PAID ACTIVITY FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE.**

Please return this form with amount of payment made indicated in the space provided:

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Payment Amt: \$ _____ Type: _____ Cash _____ Money Order _____ Check Number _____

Please make checks and money orders payable to: **HILLGROVE NJROTC CPO**. Please write the Cadet’s name in the memo block of the check, money order, or subject line. Credit card payments can be made via our unit website and the paypal link on the Sponsorship Page.



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2019/2020 HILLGROVE NJROTC ACTIVITY FEE FORM – RETURNING CADET

Cadets Name: _____ Phone (home): _____

Address: _____ City: _____ St: _____ Zip Code: _____

Parent(s) Name: _____ Parent Phone (cell): _____

Parent Email Address: _____

Activity Fee Contribution*: \$175.00 – This allows the cadet to participate in all unit activities, events, teams, and local field trips. Each returning cadet will receive a new unit t-shirt. Families with multiple cadets in the program are eligible for a \$50 discount on each additional cadet’s activity fee.

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